THESE CELEBRITIES WHO HAVE SLEPT IN PRISON CELLS

To Prison Went the Present French Minister of War, Picquart, to Prove the Innocence of Dreyfus, Whose Prison Life Was a Veritable Torment-Maxim Gorky Planned Two of His Strongest Dramas While a Prisoner of the Czar-The First President of Cuba Once Slept in a Spanish Dungeon.

Imprisonment frequently has brought persuade the United States Congress to blessings to mankind as well as suffering back the million acres of Crown lands ing, misery, and death. And to some of she would find herself enriched to the

are many men living to-day, or who have died only recently, who owe much of the luster of their names to the reflections of

acquisition of Bosnia and Herzegovina, obtained his earliest inspiration, as did

Woodhull Maftin and her sister, Lady

Jefferson Market Court stepped forward his famous father before him, in the se-

the younger Kossuth was taken prisoner | Lady Cook exclaimed: and consigned to a cell in the fortress at more than all the fiery words of his

mander, who thundered:

rdance with the edict of his coun-

leader of the party of independence, Franpopularity. When the Hungarian Parlia

the United States there were borne certain fruits of fame, which the Hawaiian Manchester, though they may not have ex-Queen has treasured greatly. During connection with Dickens." the few months that she was in prison

brother, in San Francisco, she sought still further to increase the splendor of her court. Her brother, after a trip vorite theme with the novelists of late around the world in 1881, had decided that little one-story coral abode where he contentedly was too humble, even for a

too many bargains from New York shops.

Forced to Go to Prison.

Under the extreme penalty of a \$5,000 fine, and five years' hard labor, this too ambitious woman was compelled to exchange her palace for a prison, where she was not at first permitted to have even a no peace within the four walls of the ce until writing materials were supplied; and so they were.

guard that her playing might make the lication in the series. prison too popular. Accordingly, she spent her time humming the melodies that came into her head, jotting down her Caine severely to task for the injudicious the distinguished Italian savant, covering

Not only are the songs of the ex-queen to be heard in the lands of seests. Small, tions. She has a popularity that is national. On her recent birthday, November same of what is 'great' and taken sense of what is 'great' and states where they long have been popular airs, for the reason that many of the lands of seests. Small, tions. She has a popularity that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November they long have been popular that is national. On her recent birthday, November that the national inhabitants came from the Hawaiian bid. eccentric, almost anything one likes been breight into the office of the firm speeches were made in her honor. Up to Stokes Company will publish it about write a wur-rd, young man. Islands as converts of Mormon mission- rather than 'great and tragic.' His poems by Signor Lombroso's son-in-law, Prof. aries. When "Queen Lil" accepted the in- are sensuous, voluptuous, delicate, plas- Guglielmo Ferrero, who has been deliver- prize. Miss Lagerlof was a very strong

those who have experienced its ordeal it tune of \$20,000,000. On her dethronement has given fame that might otherwise the land was appropriated by the provishave been unattained. In a cell Bunyan created "Pilgrim's Progress;" De Foe las a small private fortune she always on the Polyson Cruses and his man called Robinson Crusoe and his man has insisted that she should get back her Friday into being; Cervantes conceived own Crown lands, or an allowance equal "Don Quixote," and Tasso wrote many of to their old revenue. Once the Hawaiian legislature voted to give her \$250,000, but Nor are these fruits of the prison to be found only in times medieval. There support have in a beggarly \$200,000 to

When Lady Cook Was a Prisoner. Two other women who have spent time in prison for political reasons, though un Francis Kossuth, the Hungarian states- der far different circumstances, and who man, who again has become prominent have again been brought to public atten because of the dual empire's new racial tion by the recent suffragette outburst in problems, growing out of its spectacular New York City, are Mrs. Virginia Claffin

Last October a number of women, in cluding Lady Cook, besieged a registra-When only eight, in the year 1849, after that they be permitted to enroll. Finally already have the suffrage, under the Conthe downfall of his father and the defeat the police had to be summoned to quiet of the cause of Hungarian independence, the excitement. As the women withdrew the women to compel men to grant them

Presburg. Though only a child, the ordeal made a lifelong impression upon his mind, age tried to you at a booth only a few about thirty, became the leader and enmade a lifelong impression upon his mind, ago, tried to vote at a booth only a few listed as supporters of the cause such distinguished warmen.

It was in 1872 that Victoria and Tennes-see Claffin, the two daughters of Reuben While at Presburg, the son of the pa- Claffin, of Homer, Ohio, were carried off Cady Stanton. triot was put to a test which proved there in a patrol wagon and thrown into Ludwas true Kossuth blood in his veins. A handkerchief which was discovered pinned over his heart, proved to be nothpinned over his heart, proved to be nothing more than a miniature Hungarian were determined to vote, and so vigorflag. He was seized forthwith and drag-ged into the presence of the Austrian rights at the polls that they were ordered averaged by John A. Shields, United States arrested by John A. Shields, United States commissioner, and held in \$8,000 each.

ship in the fight for his country with the ment of the two women was the story of in the cause of woman's suffrage, she Born in Cologne on February 22, 1840, he ship in the fight for his country with the swiftness, vigor, and the overwhelming a plot to kill them. On one occasion a swiftness, vigor, and the overwhelming a plot to kill them. On one occasion a finds time to write scientific books and lost his father when only two years old. enthusiasm of his father. Being less of stranger offered ball, and the sisters apan idealist, he hesitated before determin-man suddenly approached Tennessee Clafto follow. Accordingly he did not appear if they were bailed out they would be in Hungarian politics until long after his rearrested and committed to Jefferson



PRINCE KROPOTKIN.

the exercise of their rights. In 1870, when the movement began to attract public tinguished women as Susan B. Anthony, Isabella Beecher Hooker, and Elizabeth

In other ways than in politics these two hull, Claffin & Co. Dr. Woodhull was or be torn into as small bits himself."

Young Kossuth therewith took the handkerchief, opened the bosom of his shirt, and repinned the cloth over his stated charge, or the authorities cease stated charge, or the authorities cease stated charge, or the authorities cease the ballot. Later they restricted to England, where both married, Victoria to John Biddulph Martin, and they be the property of the stated charge. In Ludlow street jail the two women starting lawsuits, and exhorting their stated charge, or the authorities cease from arresting them every time they made speeches, committing them until widows and wealthy. Zula Maud Woodhull, daughter of Victoria by her first has taken up her mether's Rises to Leadership Slowly.

What particularly groused public sentiment against this intermittent imprisonment against this intermittent imprisonment of the two women was the story of the two women was the story of

ing which was the more practical course fin, now Lady Cook, and whispered that The prison often has been called upon the age of twenty-two he threw his knapin Hungarian politics until long after his rearrested and committed to Jefferson far it has appeared only to strengthen liberation from the Presburg prison, his Market jail, which would then be set the convictions of socialistic leaders. This when particularly true of Appeared to Jefferson far it has appeared only to strengthen roads of Germany in search of work. When twenty-four he opened a little shop Paul. Although for a time it was feared to Jefferson far it has appeared only to strengthen roads of Germany in search of work. When twenty-four he opened a little shop Paul. Although for a time it was feared to Jefferson far it has appeared only to strengthen roads of Germany in search of work. has been particularly true of August of his own in Leipzig.





Bebel and Kropotkin ex-Prisoners, ticed to a turner and wood carver, and at



rinciples and entered the movement with such vigor that within only a year he be-But it was not until prison gates had shut him away from the world that Bebel found opportunity to obtain that high made him such a power in the Reichsteg. He calls his fifty-seven months in imprisonment his university career. This knowledge of literature and history from Liebnecht, the founder of the Social-Demperatic party, who was a fellow-prisoner. Liebnecht was a man of unusual educa-

first and most successful book. "Die Frau," in which the writer takes woman's

And, Like Bunyan and DeFoe of Old, Francis Kossuth, Prince Kropotkin, and August Bebel, Among Other Famous Men of To-day, Owe Much of Their Fame to Their Enforced Solitude-The Prison Experiences of Lady Cook and Her Sister, Once Constantly in the Public Eye as the Claflin Girls.

cientific articles for the Encyclopedia changed it to Gorky, meaning bitter. To Britannica, in addition to two volumes on him life was indeed bitter,

day he figured it out that he thus walked the saints, folklore, and the novels of the elder Dumas.

Escapes from Hospital.

In splte of his heroic efforts to remain posed to be dying. One day a gate was left open for gangs of men to bring in the winter supply of wood. He got word to friends outside, who posted a carriage korolenko, Gorky soon became as popu-

study in peace and quiet. He learned to speak English, and gained a much wider he appeared at the court, until he became tained the inspiration for two of his disgusted with its intrigue and superficial- strongest dramas. ness, quarreled with his father, who cut im off, leaving him to work his way through the university himself, studied Takes Woman's Side in Book.

Behind prison bars Behel planned his to St. Petersburg to inherit the enormous dal of modern times was confined from

About this time a remarkable agitator, by name Borodin, began to stir up the working classes of the Russian capital to the depressing influence of a guard almost the depressing influence of the Caribbean under the depressing influence of a guard almost the depression of the depre revolt. The police searched for him high and low, but just as they were about to through twenty the definition of the sides being translated into fifteen other languages. Bebel is a strong advocate of equal suffrage and equal legal rights, as a citizen, for woman, and his opinions a citizen, for woman, and his opinions a citizen, for woman, and his opinions are constant to a carriage bearing the imperial step into a carriage bearing the imperi arms of Rurik. Borodin was Kropotkin.

Was a bitter enemy of Bismarck, and led

While in France in 1882, with his dying stoop shouldered, and broken in spirit. the Socialists of the Reichstag in refusing to send congratulations to the "man of charged with being implicated in the charged with being implicated in the prisonment, that the dignity of the send congratuation on the eightieth birthday anarchistic riots in Lyons. He was sen might be sustained, and immediately parof the former chancellor. Bebel recently has called Emperor William insane for giving the secrets of the German war wary, the ancient abbey of St. Bernard. Kropotkin was a Conservative by inkropotkin was a Conservative by inheritance. His family had claims to the
Russian throne which some say are as
well founded as those of the Romanoffs.

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The vault-like cell of St. Peter and St.

Paul, he often said, was far preferable,
for its utter solitude inspired a higher degree of mental concentration than he had

Gen. Picquart, an army's head who
was a prisoner, who was involved in the

his glacial observations. So suddenly did | Beginning his career as a shoemaker, the socialistic prince depart from prison Gorky ran away and obtained work as a that he left behind the second volume of designer. Later he found employment in this work. It took him twenty years to the shop of a painter of images. After that he became a galley boy on a Voiga

greatly depressed him, because of lack of The boat was a sort of prison for him, exercise. So he used the heavy stool of and its confinement proved a blessing. He the cell for a ball, and would toss this developed a love for reading, and as the from one hand to the other until fatigued. It was ten steps across the room, and by a library he found opportunity to delve pacing back and forth 1,600 times each deep into all sorts of books, legends of

After, that time, no matter what was his work, even while he was a gardener's In splte of his heroic efforts to remain apprentice, a baker's helper, a porter, a wood cutter, an apple peddler, a signal man on a railroad, a vender of beer, pital. There he obtained leave to walk as which he sold from a barrel he trundled much as he pleased in the open court-yard. A sentinel kept watch but indif-herdsman, a chorus singer, or a newsferently because the prisoner was sup- paper reporter, he spent every available

friends outside, who posted a carriage near, and when no one was watching he darted out, jumped into the carriage and escaped.

The discovery that Kropotkin was a SoThe dis cialist was even more dramatic. After indignation aroused that each time he serving some time in Siberia, in investi- was liberated promptly. Yet in these brief

Attempt on Dreyfus' Life.

The recent attempt to assassinate Alcialism and anarchism in Switzerland, bert Dreyfus recalls Devils Island, where fortune which his father had just left 1895 to 1899. Imprisonment, however, brought to Dreyfus only gray hair and a

vaux, the ancient abbey of St. Bernard, joined with his friends in bringing about

Dreyfus scandal, has been sald to owe In utter contrast to Kropotkin, Maxim his present position of French minister Refuse Offer of Bond.

The second of the strange bondsman, and have the strange bondsman, and have the strange bondsman, and have the remains of the famous patriot, back the remains of the famous patriot, and hardly had they started to return to the strange bondsman, and hardly had they started to return to the depths of his own in Leipzig.

Refuse Offer of Bond.

These were the days when the confinement would gorky rose from the depths of his beliefs. These were the days when the working-like the prince of his poor health, his force he became a prisoner because of his poor health, his force he became and her sixt of worder here. In this force he became a prisoner because of his poor health, his force he became a prisoner because of his poor health, his force he became a prisoner because of his poor health, his force he became a prisoner because of his b of war to his prison experience. It was a became recognized as one of the strong men which the French army needed. Ciemenceau, on becoming premier, recognized this, and made Picquart head of

Charged with Forgery.

At the time the Dreyfus scandal broke, jority of the shows. There is a diversity of opinion, however, as to whether the son has taken the place of the father in the hearts of the political sagadity is greater, others that he is lacking in depth, and affected, regarding himself as an aristocrat of the English lord type.

Although often blamed for conceding too much in his negotiations with the ministerial party, he has persevered successfully in many of his efforts to obtain of Charles Dickens, and who is also. tive than either of his two latest novels. a prominent Swedish periodical called pected is continually happening. Another original feature is the fact that the hero murder him happening it meant a plot to murder him, he sent a thrill thro ourtroom as they led him out by ex-

"I wish to declare that if I find in Cherche Midi the rope of Lemercier Picard (a murdered police spy) or the razor of Col. Henry, it will be murder.

Duke Louis Phillippe Robert of Orleans,

who had been living in exile, decided in told his father that the time was ripe renew their pretensions to the French throne. Accordingly, he went to cruiting bureau in Paris, stated he was In addition to Clara Laughlin's book, twenty-one, and asked to be permitted to enlist in the army. He was shifted by one official to another until the public was well aroused, rival factions had arisen, and there was talk of fight in some quarters of Paris.

Duke Goes to Prison. In October the duke finally was arrest-

informed by the Navy Department that The duke had a little epigrammatic speech, which he tried to repeat from libraries of the United States navy. This memory. But his voice was husky, his honor has been accorded to Capt. Ma- gestures without force, his bearing not particularly impressive. Yet a few in the crowd began to cheer for the duke, with the result that there was almost a riot. The duke spent four months in the prison up sympathy for his claims, but to no Count of Paris, in 1894, the Orleanist cause practically died, too.

The fact that T. Estrada Palma, Cuba's first President, who died recently, was shut up in a Spanish prison for three years, added to his popularity among the nasses. In 1876 Palma was chosen head "'And when does the wedding take of the provisional republic of Cuba. was a man of wealth, having inherited large plantations from his father. poorer classes regarded him as an aristocrat. But when the Spaniards laid hands on him, confiscated his estates, and shut him up in a Spanish cell, the crowd claimed him a hero and a martyr.

The civil war has furnished many no table examples of imprisonment proving the nobility of men even more than their exploits on the field of battle. Samuel Hawkins Marshall Byers, the

a Confederate cell he had the opportunity gave the campaign that name.

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From the New York Sun.

The Venus of Milo explained. "I tried to stretch hands across the "Since sea." she said Thus it was seen that peace hath her

party of independence, Franparty of independence, Franprose rapidly in influence and REVIEW OF CURRENT VOLUMES—NOTES AND GOSSIP IN THE BOOK WORLD in the department of war. Charged this, and made I the department of war. A correspondent of T. P.'s Weekly con- first as things of the imagination and not erature which the present intense there. Perhaps the most charming of Miss Lag- of a good, queer, old doctor, who comes

ministerial party, he has persevered sucministerial party, he has pers what the people have demanded. For example, he made a special issue of the imperial order that the German language should be used in the Hungarian army inspect to ordan which is also a made a special issue of the imperial order that the German language should be used in the Hungarian army inspect to ordan which is also a made a special issue of the Living, is the autiful. The chapter entitled "Scientific Programment; "The winner of the Nobel prize this year will be either Selma Lageriof or the English poet, A. C. Swinburne. It is very good verse, distinctly worth the Beautiful," recently published by Little, Brown and Company, offers, percould decide this the choice would certain the people have demanded. For exclever portrayer of his creations. I be-like whose verse is not magainally.

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she composed a number of songs, one of It is now announced that the subject from Thomas Bailey Aldrich to Madison which is sung by her supporters as the selected by the English department for Cawein, which was written in 1902, but At the time of her incarceration, how- this year is "A critical essay on the permission of the Kentucky poet. In Baker's book, "Following the Color Line: "Queen Lil," as the last of the novels of William De Morgan," the award the course of the letter Mr. Aldrich "As Mr. Baker's articles are now worked Hawaiian rulers was known by her American born subjects, regarded her plight as infamous. Indeed, it was a striking not only at Yale, but throughout the course to her former grandeur. On her

vorite theme with the novelists of late years, and it is a curious fact that most and his predecessors hitherto had ruled of the writers who make fictional use of upon volume of annotations on 'Cawein's cen for a this fascinating problem unscientifically Accord-assume that the "good" phase of charingly, he blossomed out in a brand-new acter must always be the real and per manent self. On the other hand, W. H. killer in 2052 A. D." "Queen Lil," however, had lived too Mallock, the English writer, whose much long at the Palace Hotel in San Fran-cisco, and carried back to the mid-Pacific has been brought out in this country standpoint, and surprises his readers by which King Kalakaua imported. Aspir- making his heroine turn out to be more ing feature will be a series of no less ing to more power and revenue, she attempted at last to abolish the constitu- person than the girl of nunlike asp!ration. being forced from the throne on January because Mr. Mallock is a philosopher and novels, essays, &c., as well as others from 30, 1893, when a provisional government psychologist, as well as a novel'st and various sources, including Thackeray's was set up, and annexation to the United poet, that his views awaken unusual re-sketch-books now in the British Museum, into the mystery of the human soul.

The drawings of Alfred Stevens are included in the latest addition to the "Series of Drawings of the Great Masters." The reproductions of forty-eight of his drawings in different media and styles are prefaced by a brief paper on Stevens' life and work, written by Hugh Stannus. instruments, however, proved unavailing, The plates have been beautifully reprothe Queen even being told by one Irish duced and the book is an important pub-

compositions upon paper as fast as she and distorted revelations in the autobio-various aspects of the subjects. Part of composed them. "Mr. Hall Caine is led astray by his mis- has been in the hands of Messrs. Small, vitation of her Mormon country folk, and tic, mythical—again a whole range of ing lectures at the Lowell Institute, Bosvisited Salt Lake City in 1904, the bands in epithets is open—but they are not great ton, and elsewhere. The work will be porters in the Swedish academies. It

The encouraging outlook for poetry in this country was set forth in a letter Maybe I should come across volume want to see.' comb Riley, or perhaps to Bacon, for

lishing a new edition of Thackeray under azine, and are now issued in book form the editorship of George Saintsbury. It appears in twenty volumes, and its leadthat appeared in the first issues of the spect, and that his story, far more than and drawings at Charterhouse School most of its kind, makes a man willing Many of these will be quite unfamiliar, to look for a minute or two, at any rate, and the addition will also contain a series of portraits of Thackeray at various ages, and of reproductions of portions of his manuscripts. Besides the text as Thackeray finally left it, the most interesting variations of the earlier forms have been supplied either in the text itself, or in rangements are impracticable, in ap-

Unquestionably the most important Eupsychical research to be published in 1909 The Westminster Gazetje takes Hall will be a book by Prof. Cesare Lombroso,

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The Age of Shakespeare, the forth-toming the desired the family origi Snodgrass in Omagh about twelve years ago, but not a member of the Dickensian family. The derivation of the name is probably Danish, signifying 'close or neat grass,' and arises from some peculiarity of their unmarried friends.

The derivation of the name is butions of all time to Elizabethan complete symplectic planning. The eminence of Swinburne as a critic, long conceded even by those who are inclined to dispute his power as the coveries in electrical phenomena; Belin's butions of all time to Elizabethan complete symplectic planning. The duke also profited by the confinement at Clair-value and will spend the winter there painting.

The duke also profited by the butions of all time to Elizabethan complete butions o LeBon in establishing his new theory of a poet, has been largely attained through ary number of the North American Rethe dissociation of matter, which is his Shakespearean prose studies, hence leading modern science to the very portal the keenness of expectation with which of the ethereal world. It is one of the this final inclusive view is being awaited. most interesting chapters in a book of Messrs. Harper & Brothers have definitedelightful description and comment.

A distinguished writer said the other the John Hubbard Curtis prize at Yale which has just been published through day, in speaking of Mr. Ray Stannard country, for his interesting lectures, is course, we shall have a generation, not negro problem that I have seen—and I ing proclaimed queen on January 29, 1891, an enthusiastic admirer of Mr. De Morupon the death of King Kalakaua, her
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gan. going to come to nothing in a vast nation pressed by his candor and by his inclulike ours. I would like to look in on sion of warring facts. Too many men the United States 150 years from now. have written seeing only the facts they

Some people contend that we are no "literature"-meaning, mostly, fiction-but that we are doing big things in journalism. Certainly, Mr. Ray Stannard Ba ker's articles on the negro problem, which The Oxford University Press is pub- were first published in the American Magby Doubleday, Page & Co., are notable a Southern university has announced his intention of using Mr. Baker's book in connection with his lectures on economics.

> Holman Day, author of "King Spruce" and "The Eagle Badge," was recently called to Washington by President Roosevelt to discuss the subject of forest preservation, which is touched upon in his to other subjects in which the President is interested.

Messrs. Henry Holt & Company have just had to send Miss Marion Ames Taggart's "Nut-Brown Joan" to press for the third time. Miss Taggart has been heralded by some discriminating critics as a new Louisa Alcott. In addition to her kindly humor, she certainly manages to ropean contribution to the literature of get more heart interest into her stories han do most other writers of books for the young.

> books run at once into enormous edithe very time of the award of the Nobel January 15.

Whether or not Hall Caine's recently printed material on Wilkie Collins has quickened public interest in a remarkable writer, it is certain, if book demands are indicative, that Collins has been widely read during the last few months. The opies in the Harper lists of both "The Moonstone" and "The Woman in White" nave been exhausted and new editions are following forthwith. It was less than six months ago that both these/books went

Henry Mills Alden, in Magazine Writing poems, wrongly attributed to J. Whit- much good at what is commonly called and the New Literature, has assembled so many facts concerning the American magazines that one part of his book is very like a biography of the periodicals. journalistic achievements. A professor in magazine, the Anthology Magazine, start- two together. ed by the club of that name, has escaped many readers, but is recalled by Mr. Al- the Hub, which does a little business in den, who also assembles the names of the Review's most illustrious editors: the elder Dana, Edward Everett, James Russell Lowell, Charles Eliot Norton, as well prietor: as of its distinguished contributors, Bryant, Longfellow, William H. Prescott, and place, Miss Blank?" book, and to give information in regard dred years old, having been printed in

> Four of the storles in Mr. Charles Battell Loomis' "Cheerful Americans," which is already in its ninth American edition. have been translated into Italian, and appeared in the noted magazine "La Rassengna Nazionale."

> but none perhaps of more personal in-

welcome played her own compositions.

If "Queen Lil's" melodies might only in the sense that one thinks of them valuable addition to the fascinating little award. only two characters, with the exception the wur-rid I can spell."

view, Greenslet's "Life and Letters of Messrs. Harper & Brothers have definitely fixed the latter part of September as the date of which and been living in exile, deciding the date of which are Thomas Bailey Aldrich" is reviewed by "The Life of Henry Irving" by Brander Matthews.

"The Death of Lincoln," Doubleday, Page & Co. will publish in January a volume by Eleanor Atkinson, entitled "Lincoln's Love Story." Messrs, Little Brown & Co., who have

recently published Capt. A. T. Mahan's "Naval Administration and Warfare" are ed and tried for violation of the exile law, the book will be added to the ship's han's previous works also.

From Harper's Magazine.

"Every occupation affords opportunities The fact that the North American Re- of its own for the study of human na- of Clairvaux. His wife later tried to stir view, for so many years a literary fea- ture," says a Boston man, "if only there ture of New York, grew out of a Boston be a little aptitude for putting two and avail. With the death of his father, the "I was browsing in a book shop, at

stationery on the side, when a young woman was asked by the genial old pro-

"The wedding!" exclaimed the young woman, blushing. 'Why, you don't think-

"'Ah, Miss Blank!" rejoined the old bookseller. When a young lady buys a forgot much of its old prejudice and achundred sheets of paper and only twentyfive envelopes I know there's something

Recently Incapacitated. The Lincoln Centenary has brought From the Youth's Companion,

forth many volumnes of varying value, There were some deficiencies in the author and diplomat, says that he owes early education of Mrs. Donahoe, but she much to his imprisonment following his terest than the new edition of "The never mentioned them or admitted their capture at the battle of Chattanooga. Selma Lageriof is one of the best Known characters in Sweden to-day. Her Stoddard, who was Lincoln's private secretary during his most trying period. The Donahoe had asked to draw up a deed It was Byers who wrote the song of book is intimate and accurate, and has, transferring a parcel of land to her "Sherman's March to the Sea,"

"How do you spell it," he asked, pen